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PRICE ONE CENT.

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Grammar School No. 3 a Very Haunting Place of Danger.

Terrible Casualties that a Panic Would Precipitate.

Narrow Staircases, Rickety Banisters morning. and Insufficient Means of Exit,

Owing to the conservatism of the Board of Trustees of Grammar School No. 3, at Grove | cer Winchell, of the West Forty-seventh and Hudson streets, the lives of over two street station was called to the girl's home, thousand pupils would be jeopardized should on the second floor of the house at 415 West a panic ever occur there.

These trustees will not grant permission that a certain exit, in what is known as the annex building, shall be used by the larger boys. At present this egress is used by only 320 of the youngest children. It opens on Bedford street.

At the opposite end of the building, fronting on Hudson street, is a shaft architecturally known as a well around which winds an insignificant iron staircase, three feet wide. It extends to the top of the building. In the rear of the old building is a similar 'sell and inadequate staircase.

The boys descending these stairs pass through a hall on the first floor and out into Hudson street through the same exit as the reat of the boys.

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After repeated and vain rapping at the doors of the apartments tenanted by the dead girl's family, the reporter ascended to the floor above and interviewed William Arming on Hudson street, is a shaft architect-

rest of the boys.

There are 1.200 boys, consequently, who have only the Hudson street means of egress.

The narrow stairway would prove a veritable death-trap to this regiment of boys should

ble death-trap to this regiment of boys should they become panic-atricken.

The primary boys are on the lower floors. In case of an alarm of fire they would be trampled to death by the large boys coming down the stairs on top of them.

The stairs are only wide enough to admit of two boys descending abreast.

The girls are better provided for.

They have these manage of exit. One on

They have three means of exit: One on Hudson street and two on Grove.
The stairs they descend are six feet wide.
The Evenus World reporter, who insestigated the building this morning, noticed,

however, that the balusters were, decidedly

however, that the balusters were, decidedly rickety.

In 1833 there was a false alarm of fire in the old Greenwich avenue school. The girls rushed in a body down just such a stairway as this in School No. 3.

The balusters broke under the pressure and precipitated many of the girls to the bottom of the well.

Forty two dead girls were taken out of the Forty-two dead girls were taken out of the

building.

This is precisely what might happen in the Grove street school, with the added horror of the 1,200 boys trying to get out through the one Hudson street door.

Attention has been called to the unsafe condition of the school through a disagreement between the Board of Education and the Trustees of the school.

Realizing the dangerous state of affairs, the latter have removed some sixty pupils to neighboring schools, No. 3 being crowded to overflowing.

overflowing.

The parents resented the removal of their children, and the Board of Education claims that it should have been consulted about the removal, censuring the Trustees for acting without proper authority.

The affair is now at a deadlock.

Principal Southerland said to The Evening World man to-day: "We trust that Providence will avert anything like a calamity. If one occurs there may be serious loss of life,"

NOT DISCOVERING FRAUDS TO-DAY.

Luli in the Sugar and Tobacco Excitement at the Appraiser's Stores.

Col. Ira Aver, assistant to the Chief United States Treasury Agent, said to-day that no further steps had been taken in the investieation of the snear francis and that nothing could be said until Secretary Fairchild's report had been made to the Senate. Appraiser Stearns found time to look up

from the mass of papers on his desk, and say that there were no new developments in the Case.

The examination into the alleged fraudu-

lent valuation of Sumstra tobacco, on which grounds Secretary Fairchild asked the United States District-Attorney to find indictments against Appraiser Sturges and Examiner Hammill, is still in the hands of District-At Examiner torney Walker.

It was erroneously reported that Agent
It was erroneously reported. His name was

confused with that of Hammill, against whom confused with that of Hammin against whom is the charges are made. Agent Holshan is conducting the investigation, which is his only connection with the affair.

### PURIM DANCES TO-NIGHT.

Pashion and Charity Will Join Hands in the Metropolitan Opera-House.

Metropolitan Opera-House.

To-night is dedicated to the Purim ball at the Metropolitan Opera-House, when beauty and fashion will join in adding in the most pleasant way to the funds of a noble charity.

The preparations this year have been on the most liberal scale and everything augurs a successful ball. The boxes are all sold and the large sale of tickets has already brought the receipts up to \$23,00.

The vestibule, lobbies and rear of the dancing floor has been decorated with flowers and evergreens, and streamers of natural flowers run from the dome to the boxes. The music will comprise the latest selections and a number of new dances.

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The ball will open at 10.30 o'clock and supper will be furnished in the assembly rooms after 11. No tickets will be sold at the

#### Accused of a Serious Crime. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, ]

POUGHEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 28, -Victoria Var Buren, of Valatie, Columbia County, is in Hudson Jail, awaiting the recovery or death of Mrs. Maria Peterson, on a charge of abortion. The complainant is Charles Peterson, brother-in-law of the accused, and the matter is causing con-siderable excitement in Columbia County.

### Carpenters Elect Officers.

Members of Lodge No. 1 of the United Order of Carpenters and Johners, also belonging to Local 509 of the United Brotherhood, have elected Thomas Murtha President, P.C. Loosen-hop Financial Secretary, and I. C. Townsend Recording Secretary. Local 509 will continue to meet at 16 Clinton place every Wednesday evening for some time yet.

Small and Enrly Pire in the House. The five-story brown-stone house, 9 East Thirty-eighth street, took fire about 4 o'clock

# DID "FRED" MEAN TO DIE ? THE SPOOKS AT OUR HOUSE.

CIDENTALLY OR OTHERWISE.

She Had Told Her Landlord She Was Murried, but Her Friend Says She Was Not -Miss Maggie's Theoretic Story of the Taking of the Fatal Dose-She Says

Frederica Mormon, the pretty young girl who swallowed a dose of carbolic acid, died

The question is raised whether she took the

poison purposely or by mistake. The police were first informed of the pois oning at 7.30 o'clock last evening, when Offi-Forty-sixth street.

He found her lying on the bed in a semi-

He found her lying on the bed in a semiconscious state, and there was a strong odor
of carbolic acid in the room.

An ambulance carried the girl to the Roosevelt Hospital, where antidotes were administered and she was put to bed.

The girl's mother, Maud, told the police
that her daughter had taken the fatal dose by
mistake. The same story was told by Charles
Luthe, who was in the apartments when the
poisoning harpened.

strong, the landlord
Mr. Armstrong is an elderly man and somewhat deaf. In answer to the reporter's questions he said that the family had occupied

tions he said that the family had occupied the second floor for about a month.

'The floor was rented to the young woman," said he. 'She came here in the latter part of last month, and after looking at the place engaged it. She told me that she was married to a man named John Smith, who was a bartender. Smith, her mother and herself were to occupy the apartments.

'The family moved in on the first of this month. The girl whom I knew as Mrs. Smith came here with her mother, and a young man whom I took for her husband. A few days later the household was increased by the appearance of an old man.

few days later the household was increased by the appearance of an old man.

To the police last night the young woman described herself as Frederica Mormon, aged twenty-three years, and unmarried.

The reporter met the girl's mother this morning as she was leaving Roosevelt Hos-pital. She was accompanied by Luthe and a young brunette, who said her name was Mag-gie and that she was a friend of the family.

Mrs. Mormon is a German and cannot speak English.

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Miss Maggie declared that "Fred" had poisoned herself accidentally. She was in the habit of using carbolic acid for cleansing purposes, she said.

"The way I look at it," said Maggie, "Fred must have poured some of the stuff into a teacup and set it down. A few minutes afterward she may have become thirsty, picked up the cup, thinking it contained water, and swallowed the contents.

"I have known her ten years. I never heard that she was married, and can't understand why she told the landlord that she was. She was engaged to be married to a travelling salesman, and there was no reason why she should kill herself intentionally."

### SILK STOCKINGS TO THE REAR

G'BRIEN, JACOBUS & CO. FAVORED IN THE LINE OF MARCH.

Gen. Henry A. Barnum, commanding the

division of civic organizations from this State, which will parade in Washington on Inauguration Day, has issued General Order No. 3, assigning places in line.

There was a great deal of strife for the right of line, for which the John J. O'Brien Association, of the Eighth District, was making a hard push going to the extent of history Gilmora's Band to further their as the report states?" asked the reporter.

of honor.

While unsuccessful in getting the big plum, Johnny has the satisfaction of seeing Robert Ray Hamilton and all of the silk stockings tailing on behind his boys.

John W. Jacobus managed to get his Ninth District Pioneers in as escort to the Marshal and staff, and Senator Van Cott heads the line with the Lincoln Club of the Seventh District.

Following the Lincoln Club will be the

Oneida Republican Hattery, from Madison County, and then, third in line, will come the gorgeously bedight "b'hoys" of the "Bloody Eighth," with their great leader astride a milk-white charger, proudly leading them under the admiring eyes of President Harrison. Harrison.
Although Johnny O'Brien did not 'succeed

They will appear in their full uniform, with

Gilmore's Band, and give their friends an idea of what a dash they will cut in Washing-Johnny O'Brien will lead the procession on

a white horse, and will be flanked on either side by his lieutenants, John E. Brodsky and Barney Bourke.

This will be Barney's first experience on horseback, and it is alleged that he has contracted with the property man of Barnum's Circus for a riding pad.

### Looks Like a Murder.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]
BOSTON, Feb. 28.—Thesday morning a man calling himself August Lorenzo reported at Stafractured.

Several inmates of the house have been arrested on suspicion of foul play.

SAN PRANCISCO, Feb. 28, —The six days' go-as you-please match ended last night. Frank Hart, this morning. It was extinguished with little brouble. It is occupied by J. F. Gouldsbury. Who sustained a loss of \$200.

An overheated furnace flue was the cause of the colored boy, won. Following is the score: Hart, 526 miles; E. C. Moore, 525 miles 2 laps; Pat Guerrero, 468 miles; Broder, 273 miles; Only Gooffy, 223 miles; Only Gooffy, 223 miles; Only Gooffy, 233 miles; Crozier, 303 miles. the colored boy, won. Following is the score:

THE PRETTY GIRL WHO TOOK POISON AC- SUBJECTS OF GRUPSOME TALES BY A DOZEN ELEVENTH STREET LODGERS.

> Whiskered Ghost Who Pounded on Marble Tables and Disappeared Into Mantel Pieces-Memories of a Suicide and Murderer of Twenty Years Ago The Landlady Doean't Appreciate These Fancies

A veritable ghost story is on hand to-day over the experiences of a dozen flesh and in the Roosevelt Hospital at 9 o'clock this blood lodgers at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Herrick, 109 West Eleventh street, with the spooks of a suicide of twenty years ago and

his two children whom he murdered. According to the story, Mr. and Mrs. Nich. ols, on the first floor front, lately heard footsteps in the hall before their door at midnight, and one night last week Mrs. Nichols chilled by a view of an apparition of a man in a robe de nuit.

He struck her mahogony centre-table with his ghostly fist, shaking the chandelier in the Mrs. Nichols's bed.

The wife of Mr. Scott, a newspaper man, is said to have seen an elderly man with flowing beard through the pauels of her door. He was dragging something stealthily behind him-presumably the body of one of the mur-

him—presumably the body of one of the mur-dered children. He came in and passed out of the view of the terror-stricken Mrs. Scott into a mantel-piece. Next night the spook opened her doubly-bolted door. This week Miss Lee, an artist: Miss Gar-land, a teacher in the Wooster street school, and Miss Meckim had a card party, and Charles Lee, a Pennsylvanian, saw the ancient ghost in the next room to the players and called the attention of the whole party to it.

to it.

Even little Ethel, Mrs. Herrick's three-pear-old daughter, has seen and been both-ered by the ghost.

An EVENING WORLD reporter called at the house this morning and when he stated his errand Mrs. Herrick sank, pale and full of anguish, into a chair. Tears rained down as

she moaned:

'Oh. it is too cruel! My home and peace of mind are ruined by a joke which a dishonorable guest has made a mystery of and printed in a newspaper."

Mrs. Ruston, a short and plump little lodger, turned a little pale, too, when she said:

"I suppose I am to blame for it all. I re-

"I suppose I am to blame for it all. I re-lated to the wife of a reporter all that non-sense which had been accumulating among the people here for months. But she knew it was only fun, and said she would see that it

was only fun, and said she would see that it never got into any paper."

Mrs. Herrick, a little calmed, said that she had lived in the house since last April. She told a friend where she had moved, and the laster said: "Oh, the haunted house!"

It became a joke to her guests and they vied with each other in relating ghost experiences—all from fancy.

Two venerable physicians of the neighborhood recall that fifteen years ago Dr. Connolly, a drunkard, murdered his two children with a butcher-knife and then suicided while suffering with delirium. But it was in a house near by, No. 109, since torn down and replaced by a new and more pretentious structure. The old house was known to the children as the haunted house.

### PLATT AND THE NAVY.

He Does Not Seem to Have It, All Reports

Mr. Platt was early at his office, No. 82 division of civic organizations from this Broadway, this morning, and when asked by

making a hard push, going to the extent of hiring Gilmore's Band to further their changes of success in securing the position of honor.

While unsuccessful in getting the big plum, Johnny has the satisfaction of seeing Robert Ray Hamilton and all of the silk stockings tailing on behind his boys.

John W. Jacobus managed to get his Ninth District Pioneers in as escort to the Marshal and staff, and Senator Van Cott heads the land staff, and Senator Van Cott heads the land with Gen. Harrison, as the report states," asked the reporter.

"It is true that Senator Quay and, in fact, all of the executive officers of the National organization, are my friends and in favor of the leaders in the Republican State organization. Further than that I cannot say."

One of Mr. Piatt's best friends and a gentleman who enjoys the Republican leader's confidence told Ten Evening Wonld reporter.

to day that Mr. Platt really has no expecta-tion of receiving a Cabinet appointment, and would be greatly surprised to receive a notifi-cation that he had been selected for one of

cation that he had been selected for one of the advisers of the new administration. Mr. Platt acknowledged that a recent busi-ness trip to Washington had been prolific of results, and that yesterday Secretary of the Treasury Fairchild had awarded to the United States Express Company the contract for transporting Government money.

Mr. Plat's Company underbid the Adams, which has been doing the business since 1879, by from 35 to 50 per cent.

## RATHER WARMER WEATHER.

Atmospheric Conditions and Prospects as Remarked by Sergt. Dunn. Sergt, Dunn had that air of philosophic in-

difference this morning which he wears when he is treating the public to a sorry spell of weather. He has to sample out the most tricksome weather in the world, and his only protection

against the turns in the game and the wrath of the public is this stoicism.

"It's generally disagreeable," he said, cheerfully. "all over the country, except in the Northwest. It is raining in the Mississippi Valley, and snowing in Pennsylvania and New York.

and New York.

"There is no cold weather anywhere in the United States. It has passed over to Canada like a defaulting cashier. It will be warmer to-day though the cloudiness will not entirely disappear.

"There is not much prospect of snow in this city. All the indications are for clearing weather. The temperature is slowly rising, so that people won't have to stand their heat in a lunn."

### News Summary.

Countess you Wimpffen, divorced wife of Gen. Wimpffen, dies suidenly and mysteriously at Vienna, and rumors of murder are being in-John J. Dougherty, assistant cashier in the American Express Company's office, at St. Paul, is shot dead on the street by a woman, why says he married her and cast her off.

he married her and cast her off.

Mr. Blaine writes asking the President of the
Maine Senate not to go further with a proposition to have his portrait as ex-Speaker placed in
the National House of Representatives.

Mrs. Clara L. Willcox, wife of E. S. Willcox,
of the New Jersey Print Works, at Soho, and
daughter of John Hyatt, of the New York Postoffice, cuts her throat while temporarily insane.

## TAKEN WITH LOTS OF SPOIL

LITTLE FITZ " AND A PAL WHO ROBBED MR. LAVIN'S AND OTHER HOUSES.

Two Women Also Arrested as Accomplices Byrnes's Detectives Found Them in a Room in Water Street with Goods and Pawn Tickets Representing Many House Burglaries.

Two young men with records as house breakers, and two girls accused of being connected with a burglary of the house of Julius Lavin, 23 East Seventy-sixth street.

Mr. Lavin's apartments were entered on the night of Feb. 12 and \$1,500 worth of bric à-brac, clothing and jewelry were carried looked up from her sewing to have her blood off, the family not knowing of the burglary until the following morning.

confiding it to Inspector Byrnes. He had his ghostly fist, shaking the chandelier in the parlor below. Then he faded away behind and was able to give a rough description of

are known as crooks.

The detectives searched the house and found many of the things stolen from Mr. Lavin's house, besides a large number of pawn tickets, some of them for other articles stolen from Mr. Lavin, and all b-lieved to represent the proceeds of burglaries. The articles pawned included earrings, an owl's head, set inguismonds and rubies, and a quantity of other jewelry. are known as crooks.

tity of other jewelry.

The men admit stealing the articles, but say they did not break into the house. They say they found the basement do r open.

The prisoners were taken to Essex Market Court and remanded at the request of the Headquarters detectives.

#### NO DISAPPEARANCE, NO ROW.

nestic life of Mr. and Mrs. Jules Reynal, who occupy the mansion 263 Madison avenue; was printed in a morning paper to-day. Mr. Reynal is a well-known man about town and is a member of several clubs. His wife is a niece of E. S. Higgins, the wealthy carpet | ter. manufacturer, and is quoted as worth a

million dollars.

The story alleges that some days ago the quiet of Murray Hill was at midnight disturbed by loud cries of "Help! Murder! Police!" which brought neighboring aristocrats bent upon rescue out of their houses and into the streets. Mrs. Reynal appeared on the balcony over the doorway, and begged pitcously to be saved from her husband, whom she said had not only abused his little son but had threatened her with a revolver.

adds that since then Mr. Reynal has disappeared.

A choice but apparently inaccurate sensation in the way of Cabinet rumors was printed this morning, when a paper anounced in startling, black headlines that "Excepting the matter of residence, wealth, family and such incidents the story is absolutely false."

is absolutely false.

"You may say that there is not a word of truth in it. I am happy to say that I can contradict all rumors of coming divorce processings. Nothing of the sort is contemplated. s absolutely false Neither has Mr. Reynal mysteriously disap-

peared.

"He is a keen sportsman and is at present hunting in North Carolina. I had a letter from him only two days ago—merely a friendly account of his doings. I certainly should not remain on friendly terms with him if anything of this sort had occurred."

Our company will begin work, probably within ninety days, on a cable railroad in Broadway, New York, which when completed will be capa-ble of carrying 1,000,000 cach day. It will be the finest road of the kind in the world.

by a reporter of THE EVENING WORLD this morning, seemed somewhat annoved when asked if there was any foundation for the report. I ought to know what is going on in my

## ANOTHER PRIEST IMPRISONED.

Balfour's Coercion Policy Goes on with Unabated Vigor. IBY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.

Coercion act goes on with unremitted vigor. this morning arrested under the act, and will undergo six weeks' imprisonment in Wexford

Cork Jail, the term for which he was sen-tanced having expired. He was received at the prison gates by the members of the City Corporation and a large crowd, and escorted to a hotel. He made a speech condemning the imprisonment of clergymen and members of Parliament.

Not long ago a man was before a New York judge, who asserted he had been arrested 131 times. We believe there is one disturber of society who has broken this record. We refer to the insidious disease consumption, which, when taken in time, is always arrested by the use of Dr. Przacz's Golden Medical Discoveny. It has an unparalleled record as a cure for coughs, colds and all forms of pulmonary diseases. It is a reliable tonic and alterative, or blood purifier, to be found at every drug store, and should be kept in every house. "."

## A PHENOMENAL LIAR.

Proved Himself.

avenue.
"C. A. Higgins, Studio," was marked on the door. The reporter cautiously went updoor. The reporter cautiously were A Little Reportorial Shadowing Convicts Him.

What Was His Motive in Springing on the Public the Robbery Story?

Samuel J. Cowley, the artist, of No. 34 diamonds has been the talk of the town since its exclusive publication in THE EVENING World of last Tuesday, refused to discuss the affair any further, when an Evening

"I have talked too much already," he

stories, too," said the reporter. " Well, I did lie considerably," he admit-

"What was it ?" asked the reporter. "To shield the lady who owned the diamonds, and the man who stole them," he de-

stolen ?" He blushed a flery red, his eyes could not eet the reporter's as he stammered :

friend or foe, man, woman or child, that you can bring forth to prove that the diamonds were ever in your studio?"

After thinking apparently for several minnes Mr. Cowley admitted there was not.

Tuesday he told the reporter that many friends of his had seen and admired the

Neither would be give the name of the de-

belonged that helped him to recover the stone.

When asked who the angry old gentleman was who called upon him yesterday he said:

"He is an old fool. He had no interest in the loss of the diamonds at all."

It was suggested that Inspector Byrnes might take a hand in clearing up the mystery.

Wherenpon Mr. Cowley became excited and declared:

way."
"Good day." Mr. Cowley. I am pained to find you falsified so much," said THE EVENING WORLD young man, to which he answered

The Philadelphia lady is at an uptown "The Philadelphia lady is at an uptown hotel, and knows who stole the jewels. The diamonds will be returned this morning, and if a reporter of The Evening World and if a reporter we will some most of get the man and the jewels."

Mr. Cowley's whole proceedings were so unusual that another reporter was instructed to wait in the street below for him and to follow him whereas he was

He appeared on the street in front of Tire Evenino Wonno office at exactly 8,28 o'clock. He darted straight across the street, with the reporter close on his heels. He entered the Fost-Office and the reporter, following, ran plump spainst him, for he had changed his mind suddenly and came out. His sus-picions were not aroused, however. Then he went through Mail street to Park place, bearing an elevated train at the sta-

Then he went through Mail street to Fark place, boarding an elevated train at the station in the latter street. The reporter boarded the same train and took a seat just behind the artist taking care, however, to shield his face with a newspaper.

Mr. Cowley also read a paper. At Eighth street Mr. Cowley got out.

He crossed Sixth avenue to Greenwich street, went up this thoroughfare to Charles street, and then walked at a fast pace to West Fourth street.

Fourth street. There he stopped and asked a question of a man standing on the corner. The reporter skipped across the street, and in order that Mr. Cowley might not recognize him the re-

(This is the wife, whom Mr. Cowley

his confrère arrived, which he did promptly on time. The latter saw Mr. Cowley, who said:

"The man with the diamonds has been here, and will return in the course of an

reporters were hanging around the doorway.

They did not follow Mr. Cowley. He looked back frequently, but saw no one. He walked enraged woman with a poker.

# as far as Sixth avenue. There THE EVENING WORLD man who had been in the studio took

That's What Artist Cowley Has

ed, "but I lied for a purpose,"

" Mr Cowley, were there ever any diamonds

tective bureau to which the alleged Kennedy belonged that helped him to recover the

Byrnes better not meddle with the mat-. He could find nothing out about it any-

When Inspector Byrnes was asked to-day what object Mr. Cowley could have in springing his diamond robbery on an unsus-pecting public, he said:

"It was a neat way of getting a good ad-

adeiphia lady, a man of some means, had stolen them and had confessed. "He lives in New York." said Mr. Cowley.

yesterday.

He appeared on the street in front of Tru

Mr. Cowley never tumbled and walked straight ahead to Bank street. Turning into this street he stopped at No. 62, the residence

Seventh avenue, went up Seventh avenue to Fourteenth street and thence to the studio, reaching it at 9.16 o clock.

The shadow kicked his heels together until

[No one had entered the studio from 9.16 lock until the other Evening World man Arrived. —Rep.]
Afterwards Mr. Cowley said: "He has not been here. I met him by ap-cintment at the lady's house after I left you

# Mr. Cowley watched him safely in the L station. Then he walked up Sixth avenue station. Then he walked up Sixth avenue with the other Evening World man at his heels. Twice he stopped and looked around, and his follower narrowly escaped detection. Then he darted into a hallway at 223 Sixth

2 O'CLOCK.

# ONTARIO'S HORROR

The Dead and Injured Cared for by

Liberal Offers of Personal Assistance Being Made.

Crowds of Curious Canadians Comstantly Pouring In.

ond catastrophe at St. George last night has sent a chill of horror throughout the Dominion. Proffers of assistance for the relief of the

injured or the care of the dead are being con-

All night long the work of caring for the lead and injured was carried on.

strewn about not many feet away. That part of it that remained intact rested in a toppling condition against the bridge's stone pillars.

The bridge through which the St. Louis express crashed is 60 feet high, and is a substantial iron structure, with massive stone

The heavy diving-car broke through the iron trestlework only after the ties and other woodwork had been stripped off by the car

tangling the wrecks great crowds of muffled Canadians stood idly by watching their

apon them.
Some whose injuries were serious were taken to the homes of the villagers. Others were tenderly placed on board the train and accompanied to different points of destina-

GEORGE TEGGAT Of Mitchell.
WILLIAM WEMP, of London.
Dr. Swan and A. W. Francis, of Woodstock.
Mr. McLean, of the firm of McLean & Beecher.
Detroit, Mich.
Mr. Baiss, of Hamilton, and Capt. Moore, of
Hrantford; both of the Salvation Arms.
Mr. Press, of Woodstock.
Harry Angle, fireman. Probably No Decision in Trenton's Sense

THOMAS L. DOUTNEY, temperance lecturer,
Mrs. Jenninos and May Jenninos, of Paris.
Mr. and Mrs. Buddin, of Dorchester.
Mrs. Hidgins, of Toronto.
Mrs. McLeop, of Ingersoll.
Miss Chaffee, of Pontiac, Mich.
James Hyslor, of Goderich.
Dan Peacock.
R. W. Knight, of Woodstock.
John McKinley, of London.
George Forres, of New York.
J. R. Marshall and Mrs. J. R. Marshaez, of
Regins.

Mrs. EVANS, of Hamilton.
GEORGE MARGETTS, dining-car comNisgars.
ROBERT HILTON, of St. Catharine's.
Mr. McLauchlan, of London.
Conductor Revell., seriously hurt.
D. W. Kain, of Woodstock.
WILLIAM BENNETT, of Sanilac, Mich.
Dr. H. Leguesse, of Clevelaud, O.
A. W. Frances, of Woodstocks
Mrs. A. Kennaly, of Dietroit.

stuck in the snow at Cowansville, near the boundary line, for over an hour,

half behind time. It was snowing heavily, and the engineer lid not observe the Sweetsburg signal for

Gentle Hands.

stantly received by the railroad authorities to-day from all slong the line of the road. With the wrecking trains that left Hamilon and London for the scene of the wreck

The wrecking crews, of which there were several, were busy with jacks and crowbars in an effort to clear away the debris.

The Pullman car, crushed to nothing, was

The ties of the bridge had been torn up by the passenger car that remained standing and they lay criss-cross in confusion, some reaching to the ground and others suspended in midar.

While the workingmen were at work un-

progress.

The dead and injured had long before been extricated, and gentle hands had been laid.

tion.
The following is the list of killed and wounded so far as known: KILLED.

INJURED

Regina.
JOHN H. WILSON (colored), of Chatham.
Mrs. Evars, of Hamilton.
GEORGE MARGETTS, dining-car conductor, of

Mrs. A. S. KENDALL, of Detroit

of Two Lives. INFECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. 1 St. John's, Que., Feb. 28.-The passenger train on the Southeastern road, due at Mon-

A freight train at Sweetsburg, five miles

im to stop.

His engine crashed into the caboose of the

THE WORLD'S LEAD 66% PER CENT.

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their accomplices, were taken into Inspector Byrnes's office early this morning, having been arrested by the latter's men as being

Mr. Lavin kept the affair very quiet, only

and was able to give a rough description of them.

Detectives Slawson and O'Connor were put on the case, and their suspicious pointed to James Fitzpatrick, alias "Little Fitz." aged twenty-six, and Joseph Brady, aged twenty-two, who have served terms in State prison for just such work.

Both men were shadowed to 656 Water street, where they were arrested last night. Lizzie Brady, slias McCarty, and Mary Fitzgerald, "Little Fitz's" companion, were also tound there. The detectives say the women are known as crooks.

Husband Drove Her to the Roof. A rather startling story concerning the do-

only abused his little son but had threatened her with a revolver.

A policeman gained an entrance to the bouse and things quieted down. The story adds that since then Mr. Keynal has disappeared.

Mr. Cowley called at The Evenino World Mr. Cowley called The Evenino World Mr. Cowley Cowley has got what he wanted.

BROADWAY AND CARLE CARS President Thompson Says that No Definit

This is what Peter A. B. Widener, of Philadelphia, who with his friends purchased the Broadway road from the late Jacob Sharp, is quoted as saying by a Quaker City newspaper. President Thompson, who was called upon

"I ought to know what is going on in my own company," he said, 's and I can assure you that no definite action has yet been taken looking towards the establishment of a cable rond on Broadway."

"Then it has been suggested and discussed by the directors?"

'About that I decline to say anything. All I can tell you is that there has been no action. What the directors may do in the future I cannot say."

Dublin, Feb. 28 .- The enforcement of the Father Clark, parish priest of Avoca, was

Arrested 131 Times.

West Fourteenth street, whose sensational yarn about being robbed of \$28,000 worth of

World reporter visited him at his studio this morning.

said. "Yes, and told a good many contradictory

He wasn't fly enough, however, for a conrie wasn't ny enough, however, for a convenient car came along. Darting out, the reporter caught it without Mr Cowley's seeing him. When the car whirled the shadow past Mr. Cowley still had his eyes fixed on the spot where the reporter was supposed to have clared.

" Oh, yes." "Is there any one about the building,

The mater, however, was standing on the Elevated steps looking at him.

Finally, when Mr. Cowley thought that everything was all serene, he crossed over and started up the avenue. He stopped in the doorway of an auction shop and again

weetly: "It is too bad."

office yesierday morning at exactly 8.12 o'clock. He said that the object of his visit was to tell that the diamonds had been recovered.

He asserted that a near relative of the Phil-

low him wherever he went.

In order that the public may be collightened as to this gentleman's little ways. The Evening World gives in detail his movements

porter stooped, made a snowball, and hit an inoffensive ''kid" on the other side of the

This is the wife, whom air, Cowley said was living in Cleveland, O., with their two children. They have no children.—Rgr.]

Mr. Cowley stayed in the house about twenty minutes. Then he came out, His face was flushed. The interview must have been stormy. Leaving there, he went up Bank street to Greenwich street, crossed to

is morning." [This is also imaginary.—Rep.]

"C. A. Higgins, Studio." was marked on the door. The reporter cautionly went unstairs. Mr. Cowley and Mr. Higgins were engaged in carnest conversation. This the reporter saw through the glass door of Mr. Hugins's studio. Every one who went into the building was carefully watched and no one excepting Higgins saw Mr. Cowley during his visit.

At 2.15 Mr. Cowley arose to go. The shadow slid downstairs, and in a few minutes Mr. Cowley carnes out with a well reader. Mr. Cowley came out with a small package under his arm. He went back to his own studio,

The shadow followed and joined the group of reporters at the doorway. Mr. Cowley did

The shadow followed and joined the group of reporters at the doorway. Mr. Cowley did not speak to them.

While the reporter was standing there Mr. Cowley suddenly came downstairs again. He looked searchingly at The Evening World man, for his was a new face. Then he started down Fourteenth street towards Fifth avenue. The reporter slid across the street and cautiously followed. Suddenly Mr. Cowley stopped in front of No. 16 West. He looked around and he spotted The Evening World man.

The latter could feel that his eyes were upon him, but he innocently walked along and went into a furniture store. Looking out of the window he beheld Mr. Cowley's eyes fixed upon the place. Now caution was doubly necessary.

Mr. Cowley started back, walking sideways with his eyes fixed upon the reporter's hiding place.

been.
Mr. Cowley went upstairs and came down with an umbrella. He looked around.
The shadow chuckled.
Mr. Cowley got nearly to Sixth avenue before the reporter came out. Then another convenient car was brought into requisition, and the reporter passed Mr. Cowley at the east crossing at Sixth avenue. The former was compelled to lie at full length upon the car seat, for the artist searched the car ther. car seat, for the artist searched the car thoroughly, as he thought. Mr. Cowley took up a position on the northeast corner, and lay in wait for the reporter.

The latter, however, was standing on the

Finally he again went into the he stayed.

The elderly, thin man quoted in The Eventure World yesterday as requesting an introduction to reporters in order to clear something up, joined him and Higgins. No one else did.

Mr. Cowley came out at 3.25 with Mr. Hig-Mr. Cowley came out at 3.25 with Mr. Hig-Mr. Cowley came out at 3.25 with Mr. Higgins. They walked to Fourteenth street. The latter went into a restaurant, and Mr. Cowley slowly sanntered toward the studio.

The chase was ended. He was surrounded by reporters. This Evenino World man, who had seen Mr. Cowley in the morning was there, and he asked:

"Well, have you got the diamonds?"

"Yes, they have been returned."

"Where did the restoration take place?"

"At the place where the lady is stopping."

"The uptown hotel, I suppose," suggested the reporter.

Finally he again went into Higgins's. There

the reporter.
"Yes," he answered.
"What time did you meet?"
"About 3 o'clock."
"About 3 o'clock." 'And you saw the lady then?" "And did you see the man at the same "And did you see the man at the same time," broke in the shadow.
This broke Mr. Cowley up, for he flushed and stammered as he answered. "Yes." Then he said, "that is all I care to say.

The case is settled.

"But won't you show us the diamonds?"

"No, I can't do it now."

Then he rushed upstairs followed by at least a dozen reporters in single file, all of whom gave a groan of dismay as Mr. Cowley locked the door in their faces.

He admitted a Mr. Mingey, a lawyer, and then poked his head out and said: "By the advice of counsel I will not say anything more." That settled it.

PASTOR LUCAS'S JURY DEADLOCKED.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD. I

The case is settled

TRENTON, Feb. 28 .- The jury in the case of Morris C. Workheiser, charged with slander ing Elijah Lucas, pastor of the First Baptist Church, came into court this morning with a notification to the Court that after deliberatnouncation to the Court that after deliberating all night they were still unable to agree.

Judge Stewart, however, said he thought
they ought to be able to reach a decision and
ordered them to be locked up again.

The trial has been in progress for nearly
two weeks, and during that time has been the
sensation of the town. Every day the courtroom was crowded with people connected
with the church, and at the end of each day's
prooceedings girls and matrons have ranged
themselves along the court asile in a double

hemselves along the court aude in a

column through which the minister has had to pass, receiving their hand-shaking and good wishes.

The defendant, Workheiser, was formerly The defendant, Workheiser, was formerly President of the School Board, and he attempted to justify the alleged libel by proving a number of indiscretions on the part of the Rev. Mr. Lucas.

The least of Mr. Workheiser's written accusations were that the pastor was "a doer of disgusting acts," a "sanctimonious hypocrite" and "a child of the father of lies."

It was Mr. Workheiser's attempt to prove the truth of his charges that prolonged the trust.

The jury, it is believed, are hopelessly di-vided, and in case of their discharge the case will probably be dropped.

NO GOOD AT POKER.

Allen Defeated Tracy, but Acknowledges

the Latter's Wife Downed Him. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I BRIDGEPORT, Conn. Feb. 28,-Gus Allen, of this city, and Tim Tracy, of Waterburo, mean time. in Union City for \$100,
Allen was victorious, having given Tracey
a severe punishing. After the battle both
men went to Waterbury, where Allen has
friends.

this morning."

[This is also imaginary.—Rer.]

The shadower took up a position opposite, and watched the door. The other Evenino World man stayed upstairs, waiting for the diamonds.

At 1 o'clock word was received that Mr. Cowley, disgusted at the non-appearance of the man with the diamonds, vas going out on a tour of investigation. A few minutes later Mr. Cowley and The Evenino World man came out together.

The sladow followed. Two or three other reporters were hanging around the doorway. They did not follow Mr. Cowley. He looked back frequently, but saw no one. He walked

Hamilton, Ont., Feb. 28. - The awful rail-

last night were many volunteer physicians and nurses. Some went from here direct to St. George. o render what aid they could.

The dining-car lay bottom side up. The wheels and trucks looked like the hoofs of some great animal whose life had been crushed out.

It had been shattered by the fall and was spread out on the huge snowdrifts at either end like an inflated balloon that had given out in places but was still holding on for

piers.

To avoid even the possibility of an accident it was overhauled a week or two ago.

The accident was caused by a broken wheel.

ANOTHER SERIOUS COLLISION. The Engineer Skins After Causing the Rud

this side of Cowansville, was sent out in the Half an hour later it had left Sweetsburg. The passenger train came along an hour and

treal at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, was